## **Personal Emergency Response System Protocol Checklist**

Service Recipient's Na	me Date of Birth
	(Last, First)
Reviewer's Name	Date Request Submitted
	(Last, First)
Technical Review	
☐ YES ☐ NO	Is the correct funding source, site code, and service code used in Section C of the Individual Support Plan?
	If <b>YES</b> , continue to Question #1.
	If <b>NO</b> and the wrong funding source, site code and service code is due to a simple error, correct the error and continue to Question #1.
	If <b>NO</b> based on lack of a site code because the provider is not licensed or does not have an approved provider agreement, deny as non-covered due to failure to meet provider qualifications as specified in the waivers and in the TennCare rules applicable to the waivers.
A. Criteria for Personal Emergency Response Systems	
	Medical necessity review questions:
1a. ☐ YES ☐ NO	<ul> <li>Is there documentation in the Individual Support Plan (ISP) and/or supporting documentation that the service recipient lives alone for part of the day and needs a Personal Emergency Response System to secure help in an emergency; AND</li> </ul>
b. YES NO	b. Is there information in the ISP and/or supporting documentation to show that the service recipient has demonstrated the mental and physical capability to utilize a Personal Emergency Response System effectively?
	If <b>YES to both</b> criteria specified in "a" and "b" above, stop and approve the Personal Emergency Response System.
	If <b>NO to either</b> criterion specified in "a" and "b" above, stop and deny as <u>not</u> <u>medically necessary</u> .
☐ Approved	
□ Denied	